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Welcome to the September 2009 edition of the Radio HF Internet Newsletter.

I have some very good news and some sad news to pass along to all of you this month. Let's start off with the really good news.

As most of you know, my wife and I have been active participants for the last 6 years in the Baillie Birdathon, a fundraiser for Bird Studies Canada. Many of you have been gracious supporters of the event for which we thank you immensely. Each year, in return for all the hard work put in to raising these funds, Bird Studies Canada offers a number of donated prizes to lucky participants. The prizes range from books, birdhouses, to binoculars and spotting scopes, etc. Each year there is one major prize. It is a birding trip, donated by Eagle Eye Tours, to one of several hot birding spots around the planet. Well, you guessed it! After 5 years of never winning anything in the draw, I received word a few weeks ago that my name was drawn as the grand prize winner for this year. We have a choice of one of three trips being conducted by Eagle Eye in 2010. The destinations are Central Mexico in February; Costa Rica in March, or Western Canada in June. At this point it looks like we are headed off to Costa Rica for 15 days! How exciting is that? If you'd like to check out the itinerary for the trip, you can find all the details at:
http://www.eagle-eye.com/Locations/costarica.html

The other good news comes from the ARRL. They are making a very special offer to everyone for the new, completely revised and bigger than ever 2010 ARRL Handbook. You'll find details in this month's Publicity Zone Number 1 below.

But now for the sad news. Many of you look forward each year to the new edition of the Passport to World Band Radio. For 25 years this publication has been the most popular shortwave station and equipment reference guide in the world. Just as we were expecting news of the 2010 release we have received word that the book may no longer be published. You can read Passport publisher Lawrence Magne's message in the Publicity Zone Number 3 below.

Our Monthly Special Zone features sites dealing with Labor (Labour) Day, International Literacy Day, International Coastal Cleanup Day, International Day of Peace and Native American Day.

Our virtual voyage around the world in the "Where in the World Zone" takes us to the Principality of Liechtenstein, a doubly landlocked alpine microstate in Western Europe, bordered by Switzerland to the west and south by Austria to the east. It has an estimated population of 35,000. Its capital is Vaduz, the biggest town is Schaan. Liechtenstein is the smallest German-speaking country in the world and the only alpine country to lie entirely within the Alps. It is also the only German-speaking country not to share a common frontier

with Germany.

Enjoy the rest of the summer and please consider sending along some of your favourite websites to share with your fellow subscribers. It makes my job so much easier as well. Fasten your seatbelts; here we go.

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THE COMMENTS ZONE

JIM HYDZIK, Wilmington, Delaware: You have no idea how much your effort with the newsletter affects the 'world'. I pass on some of the stories to co-workers and they tell others. A few folks here have bought ATS909's on my recommendation and joined the hobby. Thank You again for all you do.

THE CONTRIBUTORS ZONE

Things really dropped off dramatically this month with a total of just 3 contributors. Thanks to the "two Roberts". Let's try to bring up that number substantially for October.

Robert Ellis, Beaconsfield, Quebec
Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec
Robert Koch, N. Miami, Florida

THE MONTHLY SPECIAL ZONE

AFL-CIO'S LABOR DAY 2009

http://www.aflcio.org/aboutus/laborday/

This Labor Day, nearly one in three young workers will be at work. This statistic is just one symptom of a far deeper economic reality for workers younger than 35. The AFL-CIO report, "Young Workers: A Lost Decade," shows that not only have young workers lost financial ground over the past 10 yearsthey have also lost some of their optimism.

INTERNATIONAL LITERACY DAY

http://www.un.org/Depts/dhl/literacy/index.html

Literacy is a cause for celebration since there are now close to four billion literate people in the world. However, literacy for all children, youth and adults - is still an unaccomplished goal and an ever moving target. A combination of ambitious goals, insufficient and parallel efforts, inadequate resources and strategies, and continued underestimation of

the magnitude and complexity of the task accounts for this unmet goal. Lessons learnt over recent decades show that meeting the goal of universal literacy calls not only for more effective efforts but also for renewed political will and for doing things differently at all levels - locally, nationally and internationally.

INTERNATIONAL COASTAL CLEANUP DAY

http://www.oceanconservancy.org/site/PageServer?pagename=icc_home

In partnership with organizations and individuals across the globe, Ocean Conservancy's International Coastal Cleanup engages people to remove trash and debris from the world's beaches and waterways, identify the sources of debris, and change the behaviors that cause marine debris in the first place.

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEACE

http://www.internationaldayofpeace.org/

The United Nations' International Day of Peace - marked every year on September 21 - is a global holiday when individuals, communities, nations and governments highlight efforts to end conflict and promote peace. Established by U.N. resolution in 1982, "Peace Day" has grown to include millions of people around the world who participate in all kinds of events, large and small. For 2009, this new Web site makes it easy to find and promote Peace Day events anywhere in the world. Just click on "Participate!" to locate an event or post information. And explore the rest of the site to learn more about Peace Day and how to get involved. May Peace Prevail On Earth!

NATIVE AMERICAN DAY

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Native_American_Day

In 1968, Ronald Reagan signed a resolution calling for a holiday called American Indian Day, to be held the Fourth Friday in September. In 1998, the California Assembly passed AB 1953, which made Native American Day an official state holiday.

THE SEPTEMBER ZONE

Each month we feature the monthly page from Wikipedia, the free, on-line encyclopaedia. The page features an overview of the month, plus background and general information on the month itself. The actual monthly calendar, clickable day by day, gives a list of special events in history, famous birthdays, anniversaries, etc. for each day. Here is the link for the month of September.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/September

Also, here are some special days and events in September.

MONTHLY CELEBRATIONS

National Alcohol and Drug Addiction Recovery Month
National Infant Mortality Awareness Month
National Literacy Month
Subliminal Communications Month

WEEKLY CELEBRATIONS

7 12 National Suicide Prevention Week
21 27 National Dog Week
27 Oct. 4 Banned Books Week

SPECIAL DAYS

7 Labor Day
8 United Nations International Literacy Day
15 Costa Rica Independence Day
15 El Salvador Independence Day
15 Guatemala Independence Day
15 Honduras Independence Day
15 Nicaragua Independence Day
16 Mayflower Day
16 Mexico Independence Day
16 United Nations International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer
18 Chile Independence Day
18 National POW/MIA Recognition Day
19 International Coastal Cleanup Day
19 Wife Appreciation Day
21 Belize Independence Day
21 United Nations International Day of Peace
22 Autumn Starts
25 Native American Day
27 Yom Kippur begins at sundown

ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

Be Kind to Editors and Writers Month
14 19 Line Dance Week
19 International Talk Like A Pirate Day
22 Elephant Appreciation Day
25 National One-Hit Wonder Day

Sources:
Chase's Calendar of Events 2009
VIA
http://espanol.ucanr.org/Calendario/September_2009.htm

RADIO H.F. PUBLICITY ZONE #1

SPECIAL OFFER FROM AMERICAN RADIO RELAY LEAGUE
2010 ARRL HANDBOOK

Since it was first published in 1926, The ARRL Handbook has served as an indispensable reference book for every radio amateur or experimenter. The 2010 ARRL Handbook features the biggest update to the publication in years with over 70% new or completely revised content; more projects and 32 chapters making this the biggest ARRL Handbook ever. The publication also includes the fully searchable CD-Rom.

Each year, ARRL has offered the book in two formats, hard cover ($59.95 U.S.) and soft cover ($49.95 U.S.). This year, until October 31, or while supplies last, ARRL will be offering the deluxe hard cover edition at the exact same price as the soft cover edition. This is a saving of $10 U.S.

Radio HF is once again very pleased to extend this special offer to all of our clients in Canada at the special price of $54.95, plus 5% GST, and applicable postage, based on your location. The book is expected in October 2009, but advance orders are now being accepted. Don't delay. Reserve your copy today by contacting Radio HF by telephone or e-mail. Please specify whether you wish the hard or soft cover edition.
A special flyer, with complete ordering details, will be sent out to all Canadian Radio HF Internet Newsletter subscribers in a day or two.

Radio HF can fill orders for U.S. or international clients; however for U.S. clients it would be more economical to order directly from ARRL, through their webpage at http://www.arrl.org International clients should contact Radio HF to obtain a price quotation.

WHERE IN THE WORLD ZONE THIS MONTH LIECHTENSTEIN

C.I.A. WORLD FACTBOOK LIECHTENSTEIN

https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/geos/ls.html

WIKIPEDIA SINGAPORE

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Liechtenstein

PORTAL OF THE PRINCIPALITY OF LIECHTENSTEIN

http://www.liechtenstein.li/en/eliechtenstein_main_sites/portal_fuerstentum_liechtenstein/home.htm

RADIO STATION WORLD LIECHTENSTEIN

http://radiostationworld.com/Locations/Liechtenstein/radio_websites.asp

This is a listing of radio broadcasting stations in Liechtenstein with links to station websites.

ONLINE NEWSPAPERS LIECHTENSTEIN

http://www.onlinenewspapers.com/liechten.htm

THE RADIO ZONE

RADIO REFERENCE

http://www.radioreference.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

RadioReference.com is the world's largest radio communications data provider, featuring a complete frequency database, trunked radio system information and FCC license data. In addition it includes live audio links, forums and classified ads. A free registration is required to access the complete services of this site.

RADIO JOCK

http://radiojock.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Radiojock.com is the website for Radio Broadcasters, with numerous links to related websites. We will be adding new information daily.

STAR RAY TV

http://www.srtv.on.ca/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Since being turned down numerous times because of the CRTC policies regarding low power UHF TV this Toronto community station decided to go the pirate route. It broadcasts on UHF channel 15 in the Toronto area. The station also broadcasts on the internet with a digital signal 24 hours with great community events and old movies. This is all done with a full volunteer staff.

CANADIAN SOCIETY FOR INDEPENDENT RADIO PRODUCTION

http://www.firststage.ca/csirp/index.html

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

The Canadian Society for Independent Radio Production is the first organization in Canada to serve the needs of the all producers of radio programming, regardless of whether they are volunteer or professional.
Members come from the entire spectrum of radio experiences -- campus/community, commercial, public and the CBC. Others are sound artists using old and new media as outlet of expression. CSIRP's goal is simple -- to connect the talents of radio and audio producers across the country and from around the world... enabling them to share ideas, learn new skills, and build a community of producers. With the explosion of new media, CSIRP stands as a bridge between what is known about radio and the unlimited possibilities the future holds. Explore our web site and help us build an exciting radio future!

BBC'S SAVE OUR SOUNDS

http://www.bbc.co.uk/worldservice/specialreports/saveoursounds/index.shtml

VIA Robert Ellis, Beaconsfield, Quebec

Help to create a snapshot of the world in sound! We're really excited about Save Our Sounds, but we need your help to create an audio map of the world. We're especially keen to preserve endangered sounds for future generations. You can get involved by sending us sounds from where you live, and then listen your way around the world with our interactive map. Please upload your sounds onto our map. Find out more about Save Our Sounds and follow our recording tips in order to collect the best quality sound. You can also get involved with Desperately Seeking Sounds and take part in our regular Sound Scavenger hunt. So get recording and take us all on a journey through sound!

INTERNATIONAL RADIO AND TELEVISION SOCIETY FOUNDATION

http://www.irts.org/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Whether you are a successful business man or woman, an aspiring professional, a college educator, or simply a media enthusiast, keeping abreast of the increasingly complex electronic media world is a formidable task. While the lines between broadcast television and radio, cable, telephony, and the computer industry may be blurring, one thing remains clearwe all have an affinity for a business that entertains, informs, educates, and serves the American public in a meaningful way. The IRTS Foundation provides a unique common forum for all segments of the communication industry. Our members enjoy sharing insight and ideas with colleagues during the season's numerous events.The ultimate goal of the IRTS Foundation is to bring together the wisdom of yesterday's founders, the power of today's leaders, and the promise of tomorrow's young professionals.

HAM TV

http://www.hamtv.org/

VIA Robert Koch, North Miami, Florida

There's now an Amateur Radio streaming video site on the web. Ham Radio TV Events, Communication & Electronics History Webcast With High Speed Internet And Windows Media Player. The site provides a dedicated high performance server with plenty of bandwith to the amateur radio community free of charge.

HAMGATE

http://www.hamgate.net/index.html

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

The hamgate.net system has been active since 1993 serving the Western New York amateur radio community by providing local club information and web hosting to many of the local clubs as well as the regional full-time APRS internet gateway for Western New York. This system is sponsored by Karl Weir, N2NJH and Erie County ARES/RACES. On this system you will find a number of clubs, their activities and project.

PAPER TIGER

http://papertiger.org/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Paper Tiger has been creating fun, funky, hard-hitting, investigative, compelling and truly alternative media since 1981! The programs produced at PTTV have inspired media-savvy community productions and activism around the world. Our archive includes shows that provide critical analysis of media, educate about the communications industry and highlight issues that are absent from mainstream information sources. Through the distribution of our short documentary programs, media literacy/video production workshops, community screenings and grassroots advocacy, PTTV works to expose and challenge the corporate control of media. Because of the bias and misrepresentation of issues in mainstream media it is critical to include diverse perspectives in the process of making media. PTTV strives to increase awareness of how media can be used to affect social change.

RADIO H.F. PUBLICITY ZONE #2

NEW FROM YAESU

FT-7900R Dual Band mobile transceiver

The Yaesu FT-7900R dual bander operates on 2 meters and 70 centimeters. High power output is featured with 50 watts on 2 meters and 45 watts on 430 MHz. CTCSS/DCS Encode/Decode is built in. Over 1000 memories are available. It is WIRES compatible. The FT-7900R well designed front panel provides simple, safe operation. The FT-7900R is ideal for the amateur who does not require cross-band repeat as found on the FT-8800R and FT-8900R. The FT-7900R has excellent receive range covering 108 to 520 and 700-990 MHz (less cellular). Operating this radio is very simple and straight forward, and you may program it to your operational preferences via a menu system. The FT-7900R features Yaesu's ARTS Auto-Range Transponder System, important in search-and-rescue applications. ARTS provides a "hand-shake" with other ARTS equipped transceivers and displays out of range or in range. A six character CW ID is also provided for your station every ten minutes during ARTS operation. The FT-7900R is similar to the FT-7800R, but adds a Memory Only mode and provides 5 watts more on 440.
The FT-7900R comes with a MMB-36 mobile mounting bracket, DC cord and MH-48A8J Up-Down, illuminated DTMF microphone.

Full details on the FT-7900R are available on the Yaesu web site at
http://www.yaesu.com/indexVS.cfm?cmd=DisplayProducts&ProdCatID=106&encProdID=2804F70E1A8F3C4B638CB8E0F201158C&DivisionID=65&isArchived=0

Please contact Radio HF for Canadian pricing and availability of all Yaesu products.

THE GENERAL ZONE

TELEVISION TUNES

http://www.televisiontunes.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

This site is an absolute goldmine of memories. I have to admit that I spent a few hours here once I found the page. It is a library of TV theme music and songs from yesterday and today.

Browse through the archive of 11,648 theme songs using the alphabetic index, click on the show and sit back and listen as the theme song plays. Someone put a lot of work into this. I'm sure you'll appreciate it. There is also a "wanted" list on the site which features shows for which the webmaster is looking for themes. If you can help out, please get in touch with him.

GLOBAL MEDIA MONITOR

http://lass.calumet.purdue.edu/cca/gmm/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

This comprehensive web site has been specifically designed to keep students, instructors, researchers, and interested individuals abreast of the ever-changing developments in the field of global communication and mass media. The Global Media Monitor serves as a clearinghouse for numerous issues related to global communication and media. Included in this web site are profiles of prominent global media scholars and professionals. You will find links to hundreds of online newspapers, journals, international online radio and television stations, international news agencies and services, international organizations, multinational corporations, alternative media, and much more. There are links to thousands of web sites where you can gain cultural, political, economic, geographical and other information about nations of the world. Herein lies a wealth of information on numerous topics related to global communication and mass media.

MEDIA CHANNEL

http://mediachannel.org/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

MediaChannel is concerned with the political, cultural and social impacts of the media, large and small. MediaChannel exists to provide information and diverse perspectives and inspire debate, collaboration, action and citizen engagement. As the media watch the world, we watch the media.

PROJECT CENSORED

http://www.projectcensored.org

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Founded by Carl Jensen in 1976, Project Censored is a media research program working in cooperation with numerous independent media groups in the US. Project Censored's principle objective is training of SSU students in media research and First Amendment issues and the advocacy for, and protection of, free press rights in the United States. Project Censored has trained over 1,500 students in investigative research in the past three decades. Through a partnership of faculty, students, and the community, Project Censored conducts research on important national news stories that are underreported, ignored, misrepresented, or censored by the US corporate media. Each year, Project Censored publishes a ranking of the top 25 most censored nationally important news stories in the yearbook, Censored: Media Democracy in Action, which is released in September. Recent Censored books have been published in Spanish, Italian and Arabic.

ORGANIZATION OF NEWS OMBUDSMEN

http://www.newsombudsmen.org

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Formed in 1980, ONO is a nonprofit corporation with an international membership of active and associate members. It maintains contact with news ombudsmen worldwide, and organizes annual conferences, held in a member's city, for discussion of news practices and a wide range of issues connected with ombudsman work.

CURIOUS EXPEDITIONS

http://curiousexpeditions.org/

VIA Robert Ellis, Beaconsfield, Quebec

Dylan Thuras and Michelle Enemark are your humble explorers. They are devoted to unearthing and documenting the wondrous, the macabre, and the obscure from around the globe.

SMITHSONIAN: THE HIDDEN LIFE OF ANTS

http://www.mnh.si.edu/ants/index.html

VIA Robert Ellis, Beaconsfield, Quebec

Ants dominate the small-scale world. We may seldom notice them, but ants affect their ecosystems as much as humans do. And much like us, ants achieve domination by being social creatures.

RADIO H.F. PUBLICITY ZONE #3

WHAT'S NEW IN BOOKS & PUBLICATIONS FROM THE AMERICAN RADIO RELAY LEAGUE, THE RADIO SOCIETY OF GREAT BRITAIN, and other publishers?

SPECIAL NOTICE REGARDING PASSPORT TO WORLD BAND RADIO

Every year at this time, for the past 25 years, we begin to talk about the release of the new edition of probably the most popular annual publication ever for the shortwave radio listener, the Passport to World Band Radio. Unfortunately, this year instead of telling you about the arrival date, we have some sad news to pass along from Passport's founder and publisher Lawrence Magne. His message says it all.

PASSPORT TO WORLD BAND RADIO IN LIMBO

As with any good recipe, a range of ingredients has to come together if a reference book is to succeed. Solid content is, of course, essential. But in recent months other considerations have had an increased bearing on the future of Passport to World Band Radio. So it is that the 26th
Edition of Passport to World Band Radio is being held in limbo.
Despite this, for now we are continuing to maintain the WorldScan database and uphold all proprietary material. Among other things, this should help allow for an orderly return to production, under IBS' aegis or otherwise, should conditions allow. For Passport readers and our small team, alike, this is a seminal moment. After all, Passport to World Band Radio goes back a quarter century and has had something like a million readers worldwide. But the future has its own rhythm that confounds prognostication. There may yet be more chapters to this story. Stay tuned.
Best regards,
Lawrence Magne, Publisher
Passport to World Band Radio, International Broadcasting Services, Ltd.

Please visit the Radio HF webpage at
http://www.radiohf.ca/publications.htm for a complete catalog of all books, publications and CD-Roms available

THE FUN & SERVICES ZONE

GETTING LOST

http://www.anbg.gov.au/instructions/lost.html

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

Although this page was written for an Australian webpage about hiking, backpacking, etc., much of the information on the page is applicable anywhere. There are three segments to the document: How To Avoid Getting Lost; What To Do If You Get Lost; and, How Search Teams Work.

STYLE YOUR GARAGE

http://www.style-your-garage.com/

VIA Robert Ellis, Beaconsfield, Quebec

We don't usually feature commercial web pages, but this one really fits the fun category here. The days of boring garage doors are numbered! That's because there are now photo tarpaulins for garage doors from style-your-garage.com! Garage doors have until now mostly been mouse grey and ugly and often spoil the appearance of well-maintained homes. But now, the days of those hideous garage doors are numbered! That's because the new photo tarpaulins from style-your-garage.com can give monochrome up-and-over garage doors a whole new look. The printed-on 3D motifs are deceptively realistic and will cause neighbours, friends and passers-by to stop and stare!

SUBLIMINAL MESSAGES

http://www.subliminalmessages.com/

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

The most intriguing site on the net with curious content being added regularly, including optical illusions, brain-teasers, puzzles, 3-D images, etc.

PLANET PERPLEX

http://www.planetperplex.com

VIA Sheldon Harvey, Greenfield Park, Quebec

The purpose of this site is to show every type of surprising or amazing image, including background information whenever possible. There is a particularly interesting page here of subliminal advertising.

THE 2009 HAMFEST/FLEAMARKET ZONE

Each month we list upcoming events, including hamfests, predominantly in Canada. NOTE: All times quoted are local. (Compiled by Vernon Ikeda VE2QQ, Pierrefonds, Quebec and Radio Amateurs of Canada)

Saturday, September 12
Ottawa Amateur Radio Club 10th Annual Hamfest. - Carp, Ontario
Location: Carp Agricultural Fair Grounds, 3970 Carp Rd (Ottawa Road 5) at Falldown Lane, Carp, ON
Vendors - 08:00 Tailgaters - 08:00 General Public - 10:00 to 13:00
General Admission 6.00$ Tables 12.00$ plus admission Tailgaters 5.00$ plus admission.
Talk-in: VE2CRA 146.940 (-) CTCSS/Pl 100.0 hz
Information/reservations - Ed Sich, VE3WGO
E-mail: fleamarket@...
Web Page: http://oarc.net/fleamarket
RADIO HF WILL BE THERE

Saturday, September 12
Barrie Fleamarket - Barrie, Ontario
Location:Oro-Medonte Fairgrounds, Barrie, ON
Vendors 07h00, Public 07h00
Admission: Vendors Tables $15.00 Public $5.00 Tailgaters $10.00
Talk-in: VE3LSR 146.850 (-) CTCSS 156.7

E-mail: ve3odr@...
Webpage: http://www.barriearc.com

Saturday, September 19
West Island Amateur Radio Club Fall Auction
Location: Karnak Shiners Hall, 3350 Boulevard des Sources,
Dollard des Ormeaux, QC.
08:00 Open to Vendors; 09:00 Open to Public; 09:30 Auction Starts.
General admission $5.00
Tables $15.00 (includes 1 admission)
Talk-in: VE2RWI 146.910 (-) no CTCSS tone on input
Information: ve2cwi@... or ve2klf@...
Web: http://shell.pubnix.net/~wiarc/hamfest.htm
RADIO HF WILL BE THERE
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Saturday, September 26
Drummondville Amateur Radio Club Hamfest, Drummondville, QC
Centre Claude-Nault, 480, rue Lessard
Access by Autoroute 55, Exit 116 (route 139)
GPS Coordinates 72° 25.356' W 45° 49.786' N
Vendors: 7 am; Public 9 am
Information : Omer Laperle VE2OML
Tel: 819-478-0478
Talk-in: VE2RDL 146.625 (110.9)
Web: http://www.raqi.qc.ca/ve2crd/hamfest/index.html
RADIO HF WILL BE THERE

Sunday, September 27
London Amateur Radio Club 32nd Annual Fleamarket - London, Ontario
Location: Western Fair Grounds, Special Events Building - Vendors 07h30 - Public 09h00
Admission: General Admisssion $6.00 - Tables $10.00 / Talk-in VA3LON 147.060 (+) ctcss 114.8
Information: Ann Rundle, VA3EOR at 519-238-1542
E-mail: LARChamfest@...
Web page: http://www.larc.ca

Sunday, October 4
Comfest 2009 - Delta, British Columbia
Location: South Delta Recreation Centre, 1720 56th Street, Delta (Tsawwassen)
Vendors T.B.A, Public 10h00 Admission 2.00$ Tables 20.00$.
Talk-in: 444.425 (+) Tone 107.2
Table Reservations/Information: Gordon Dick, VE7FKY
E-mail: gdick@...
Web page: http://www.deltaamateurradio.com/

Saturday, October 17
Hamilton Amateur Radio Club Hamfest 2009 - Ancaster, Ontario
Location: The NEW Ancaster Fair Grounds, 630 Trinity Road, Ancaster, (The south-west corner of highways #52 and #53, just west of Ancaster).
Vendors 07h00 - General Admission 09h00 / Tables - 10.00$ plus 6.00$ admission General Admission 6.00$
Talk-in: VE3NCF 146.760 (-) CTCSS 131.8
Reservations: Mardy Eedson, VE3QEE (905)-648-0187
E-mail at hamfest@...
Web page: http://www.hamiltonarc.ca/

Saturday, October 24
Hamfest de Rive-sud de Montréal - Longueuil, Québec
Location: Place Desaulniers, 1023, Blvd Taschereau, Longueuil, QC

Vendors 06h00 - General Admission 09h00 - 13h00 Talk-in: VE2RSM 145.390 (-)
Information David Chadufaud VE2EDF 450-672-9791
E-mail: ve2edf@...
Web page: http://www.ve2clm.ca/articles.php?lng=fr&pg=120
RADIO HF WILL BE THERE

Sunday, November 8
Maple Ridge Amateur Radio Club Electronic Flea Market - Pitt Meadows, British Columbia
Location: Ridge Meadows Children Centre, 12460 Harris Road, corner of Lougheed Highway and Harris Road
Vendors 07h30, Public 09h00 Pancake breakfast at 08h00 to 09h00 Admission 3.00$ Tables 20.00$.
Talk-in: VE7RMR 146.800 (-) PL tone 156.7
Table Reservations: Mike Rossner, VA7MR at (604)-466-2957
E-mail: va7mr@...
Web page: http://www.ve7rmr.ca/

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THE CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL DX CLUB (CIDX)

CIDX is Canada's national radio monitoring club, serving radio hobbyists since 1962. Our monthly newsletter, MESSENGER, now published electronically, covers all aspects of the radio monitoring hobby.

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Please visit the CIDX web page at http://www.cidx.ca

PRIME TIME SHORTWAVE

Prime Time Shortwave is a listing of English shortwave broadcast that are updated on a weekly basis by webmasters Daniel Sampson and Ernest Riley. The schedules are constantly updated from various print and internet sources as well as from monitoring by the webmaster and other shortwave listeners and DXers. The shortwave schedules are available by time, country and frequency format. Also, they are available in ASCII, DBase, Excel and PalmOS formats (Dan Lyddy creates the PalmOS file). You will also find links to some of the best radio related websites and to the international broadcasters and time conversion charts (some provided by Craig Braun). Please visit the Prime Time Shortwave webpage at

http://www.primetimeshortwave.com/

THE INTERNATIONAL RADIO REPORT

The International Radio Report, now in its 21st year on CKUT-FM, 90.3 FM in Montreal, is available via the Internet live streaming, and on the airwaves of CKUT, Sunday mornings at 10:30 AM Eastern (1430 UTC). The show's co-hosts, Janice and Steve Karlock, present a weekly half-hour of news, information and developments in radio broadcasting. Visit the CKUT web page for full CKUT programming details:

http://www.ckut.ca

You may listen to archived editions of the programme through the CKUT web site. Send your comments or questions to the International Radio Report, by e-mail, to radioreport@...

RADIO CANADA INTERNATIONAL

Radio Canada International is Canada's shortwave broadcaster. The broadcast schedules for March 29 to October 25, 2009 are posted on the Schedules and Frequencies page of the RCI webpage at the following address:

http://www.rciviva.ca/rci/en/horaires.shtml

You will also find the schedules for three 24-hour per day satellite channels on the HotBird satellite (Europe/North Africa/Middle East), the RCI Plus channel on Sirius Satellite Radio and the live RCI Viva service available on the website. Stay in touch with Canada via Radio Canada International.

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